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*Laredo, Tex., January 5, 1900.*—I have the honor to submit the following report for week ended December 30, 1899: Passengers on Mexican National Railroad inspected and allowed entry for week reported, 414; immigrants inspected and allowed entry, 9; persons vaccinated on train, 7; refused entry, 1.

Respectfully,

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*Smallpox in the United States as reported to the Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service, December 29, 1899, to January 19, 1900.*

[For reports received from June 30, to December 29, 1899, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for December 29.]

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Alabama:				
Mobile .....	Jan. 2-Jan. 7...	4		
Colorado:				
Elbert County.....	Jan. 6.....			Smallpox reported.
Huerfano County.....	Dec. 29.....	2		
Saguache County.....	Dec. 28.....	1		
Total for State .....		3		
Georgia:				
Blackshear.....	Jan. 11.....	16		
Brunswick .....	Jan. 4-Jan. 11...	10		
Jesup.....	Jan. 11.....	2		
Liberty.....	Jan. 11.....	1		
Savannah.....	Jan. 11.....	1		
Waycross.....	Jan. 11.....	7		
Total for State .....		37		
Delaware:				
Wilmington.....	Jan. 7-Jan. 13...		1	
Illinois:				
Cairo.....	Dec. 24-Jan. 6...	32	3	
Chicago.....	Dec. 27-Jan. 8...	4		
Total for State.....		36	3	
Indian Territory:				
Choctow Nation .....	Dec. 18.....	75		
Indiana:				
Evansville .....	Dec. 24-Jan. 13...	14		
Louisiana:				
New Orleans.....	Dec. 31-Jan. 6...	19	1	
Iberia.....	do .....	1		
Iberville.....	do .....	2		
Lafayette.....	do .....	130	1	
Point Cooper.....	do .....	1		
Shreveport.....	Dec. 24-Dec. 30...	6		
St. James.....	do .....	1		
Total for State .....		160	2	
Massachusetts:				
Boston.....	Dec. 30-Jan. 6...	2		
Chelsea.....	Dec. 25-Dec. 31...		1	
Lowell.....	Dec. 24-Dec. 30...		1	
Total for State .....		2	2	
Missouri:				
Paris.....	Sept. 3-Dec. 29...	37	4	
St. Louis.....	Dec. 19-Jan. 8...	5		
Total for State .....		42	4	
Nebraska:				
Omaha .....	Dec. 17-Jan. 6...	5		
New York:				
Amsterdam.....	Dec. 25-Dec. 30...	1		

*Smallpox in the United States, etc.—Continued.*

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.			
<b>North Carolina :</b>							
Beaufort .....	Dec. 27 .....	1 .....	.....	Numerous cases.			
Charlotte .....	Dec. 1-Dec. 31...	2 .....	.....				
Chatham County .....	Nov. 1-Nov. 30...	10 .....	.....				
Greensboro .....	Jan. 15 .....	.....	.....				
Guilford County .....	.....do .....	23 .....	.....				
Halifax County .....	.....do .....	50 .....	.....				
Mecklenburg County .....	.....do .....	1 .....	.....				
Northampton County .....	.....do .....	1 .....	.....				
Rowan County .....	.....do .....	16 .....	.....				
Vance County .....	.....do .....	1 .....	.....				
Total for State .....	.....	105 .....	.....				
<b>Ohio :</b>							
Cincinnati .....	Dec. 23-Jan. 6...	4 .....	.....	Smallpox epidemic. No cases at present. Do. Do.			
Cleveland .....	Dec. 24-Jan. 6...	28 .....	.....				
Hamilton .....	Dec. 31-Jan. 6...	1 .....	.....				
Youngstown .....	.....do .....	1 .....	.....				
Total for State .....	.....	34 .....	.....				
<b>Oklahoma Territory :</b>							
El Reno .....	Dec. 27 .....	7 .....	0 .....		Smallpox epidemic. No cases at present. Do. Do.		
Enid .....	.....do .....	4 .....	0 .....				
Kay County .....	.....do .....	.....	.....				
Logan County .....	.....do .....	10 .....	0 .....				
Oklahoma City .....	.....do .....	14 .....	0 .....				
Shawnee .....	.....do .....	12 .....	0 .....				
Watonga .....	.....do .....	1 .....	0 .....				
Yukon .....	.....do .....	6 .....	0 .....				
Total for State .....	.....	54 .....	0 .....				
<b>Pennsylvania :</b>							
Allegheny County .....	Dec. 17-Jan. 6...	4 .....	.....	Smallpox epidemic. No cases at present. Do. Do.			
Beaver County .....	Jan. 1-Dec. 31...	1 .....	.....				
Philadelphia .....	Dec. 24-Dec. 30...	2 .....	.....				
Total for State .....	.....	7 .....	.....				
<b>South Carolina :</b>							
Greenville .....	Dec. 24-Dec. 30...	2 .....	.....		Smallpox epidemic. No cases at present. Do. Do.		
<b>Tennessee :</b>							
Columbia .....	Jan. 6 .....	24 .....	.....				
Memphis .....	Nov. 4-Jan. 6...	77 .....	.....				
Mount Pleasant .....	Jan. 6 .....	8 .....	.....				
Nashville .....	Dec. 24-Jan. 13...	8 .....	.....				
Total for State .....	.....	117 .....	.....				
<b>Texas :</b>							
San Antonio .....	Dec. 1-Dec. 31...	2 .....	.....			Smallpox epidemic. No cases at present. Do. Do.	
<b>Utah :</b>							
Salt Lake City .....	Dec. 24-Jan. 6...	10 .....	.....	Smallpox epidemic. No cases at present. Do. Do.			
<b>Virginia :</b>							
Portsmouth .....	Dec. 24-Jan. 13...	24 .....	8 .....				